



Appl. No. 10/004,903  
Amdt. dated: January 7, 2004  
Reply to Office action of October 7, 2003  
Attorney Docket No. 11233.00  
Express Mail No. EV 410 059 125 US

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Application of

Inventor: Dario Guidetti

Confirmation No.: 8510

Application No.: 10/004,903

Examiner: Janice Lee Krizek

Filed: November 2, 2001

Group Art Unit: 3652

Title: PROCESS AND DEVICE FOR  
CONVEYING PRODUCTS, FOR  
INSTANCE FOR AUTOMATIC  
PACKAGING INSTALLATIONS

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**RECEIVED**  
JAN 16 2004  
**GROUP 3600**

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Sir:

In response to the Office action of October 7, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 12 of this paper.

01/13/2004 SDIRETA1 00000044 041415 10004903

01 FC:2202 153.00 DA  
02 FC:2201 43.00 DA

# AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Small Entity)

Applicant(s): **Dario Guidetti**

Docket No.

11233.00

Serial No.

10/004,903

Filing Date

November 2, 2001

Examiner

Janice Lee Krizek

Group Art Unit

3652

Invention: **PROCESS AND DEVICE FOR CONVEYING PRODUCTS, FOR INSTANCE FOR AUTOMATIC PACKAGING INSTALLATIONS**

## TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Small Entity status of this application has been established under 37 CFR 1.27 by a verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish Small Entity status under 37 FR 1.27 is enclosed.

The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.

### CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	50 -	33 =	17 x	\$9.00	\$153.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	4 -	3 =	1 x	\$43.00	\$43.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					\$0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$196.00

- ☐ No additional fee is required for amendment.
- ☒ Please charge Deposit Account No. **04-1415** in the amount of **\$196.00**
- ☐ A check in the amount of to cover the filing fee is enclosed.
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. **04-1415**
- ☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
- ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

RECEIVED  
JAN 16 2004  
GROUP 3600

Dated: 1/7/04

Signature

**S. Craig Hemenway, Registration No. 44,759**  
**Dorsey & Whitney LLP**  
**USPTO Customer No. 20686**

I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence

Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence

cc: IP D cketng